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Re: Filing of Amendment  
U. S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/766,651  
Our Ref: RYU.003

Dear Examiner:

Enclosed please find an Amendment in response to the Office Action dated December 28, 2005 which should place the above referenced Application in condition for immediate allowance.

Thank you in advance for your kind consideration of this case.

Very truly yours,



Phillip E. Miller

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Enclosure

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In re Application of:

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Serial No.: 09/766,651

Group Art Unit: 2616

Filed: January 23, 2001

Examiner: Vent, Jamie J.

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR OUTPUTTING IMAGE DATA

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 28, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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